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In re Application of :
Sapp, et al. : DECISION ON PETITION
Application No. 10/779,325 :
Filed: February 13, 2004 :
For: 1318-PA02 :

This is a decision on the petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b), filed February 7, 2006 to revive the above-identified application.

The petition is **GRANTED**.

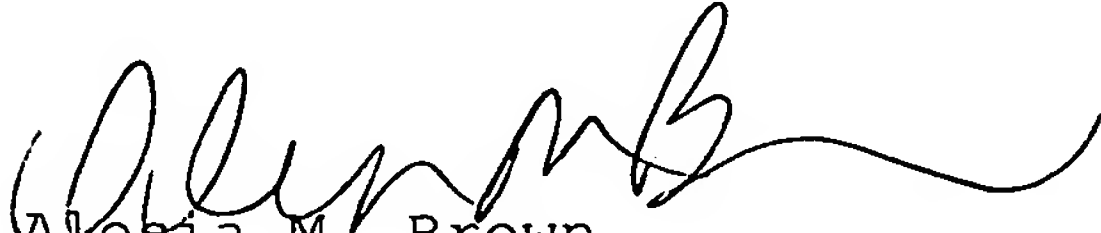
This application became abandoned July 15, 2004 for failure to timely reply to the Office communication mailed May 14, 2004. The Office communication set a two-month shortened statutory period of time for reply. No petition for extension of time in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 was timely submitted. Notice of Abandonment was mailed February 9, 2005.

A grantable petition pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.137(b) must be accompanied by: (1) the required reply to the outstanding Office action or notice, unless previously filed; (2) the petition fee as set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(m); (3) a statement that the entire delay in filing the required reply from the due date for the reply until the filing of a grantable petition pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.137(b) was unintentional; and (4) any terminal disclaimer (and fee set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.20(d)) required pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.137(c).

The statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) submitted herewith indicates a partial assignment. Accordingly, the change of correspondence address submitted herewith has not been entered into the record as it has not been properly executed by the remaining inventors. If practitioner desires to receive future correspondence regarding this application, the appropriate documentation must be submitted to the Office. **All future correspondence regarding this application will be directed to the address currently of record until such time as appropriate instructions are received to the contrary.**

This application will be forwarded to the Office of Initial Patent Examination for further processing.

Telephone inquiries concerning this matter may be directed to the undersigned at (571) 272-3205.

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